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Two Permits:

- Gov Manchin mentioned the "Buffalo" permit the one involving the King Coal Highway. Could you send us a copy of the R3 comment letter and any background material you may have thanks.
- The Robt Kennedy letter to the editor mentions a general permit issued by the Norfolk District for the Ison Rock Ridge mine in SW VA. Did R3 comment on this permit? We understand that the SMCRA permit will be issued this week? How could the Corps issue a GP before the SMCRA permit is done? Do you have any background on this permit? Have you spoken with Norfolk?

If you could let us know about these two as soon as you can - that would be helpful. Thanks.

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